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Serial Nos. 164

Part B for May 14

SUBJECT.

Mismanagement of the Annachuttrum at Madura

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GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT.

(Madura)

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File No. 980-13

FILE HEADING.

Alleged mismanagement of the annachattram at Melur.

From A. Srinivasiah and others

No. Petn Dated 18.12.13 Received 18.12.13

Diary No. 1120 | Enclos. — Spare Copies. | Serial No. 1

BRIEF ABSTRACT OF LETTER.

Complain that they were ill-treated by the Taluk Sheristedar and were not permitted to alight at the Chattram and that even after obtaining permission from the Sheristedar they could not occupy a room in the Chattram and have the cooking utensils till 2 P.M with their young children suffering owing to the absence of the Chattram Parapatikaran

NOTES AND ORDERS.

Secretary's orders:- "Please put up draft of a D.O to the Dr Coml asking him to enquire into and report on the case"

Dft accordingly subd.

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2 To The Dy. Comr. Kolar Dt.
No 1646 d/18.12.13 Forwards abenetor
enquiry and report.
From the Private Secretary to H.H. the Maharaja
Dem No 2347 dated 26.12.13.
Forwards for disposal a memorial
from A. Srinivasiah and others complaining
of the inhospitable conduct of the Malur Chatram
servants -
Dft- forwarding the memorial in continuation
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3 From The Dy. Comr. Kolar Dt.
DO No 2270/4 the March 1914.
Forwards report from the Sub. Dn officer
together with the explanations of the local
authorities
Draft recording Dy. Comr's order
Subd. for approval or other orders
12.3.14. The Sub Division officer's report
and the Amildar's report which
are in English explain the case
fully. The explanations of the Taluk
Sheristedar & the Chatram Parupattegar
show that they did their best
~~never failed~~ to give
all possible help to the petitioners

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They seem to have exaggerated the matters to a great extent. The matter may be dropped the papers being filed

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Subd Hay.

No further action appears to be called for. The main allegation that the Chatham servants were not available until a late hour on the day is apparently unsupported.

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16.3.14

As reported by the Inspector from (Mr R C Kennedy), all his complaints would not have been made if the Chatham servants were more prompt in their attendance to his requirements & wishes. I think the R C may be [illegible] if he should [illegible] to bring before Chatham & invite [illegible] further [illegible] the allegation that the [illegible] have been unobtainable at the hour mentioned by the Inspector.

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I agree. The Chatra Servants should be Courteous & Considerate to travellers, and when provns cannot be supplied either for the travellers not belonging to the 'Poor' class or when the allotment is exhausted, they shd render travellers all help by supplying rooms & vessels & procuring provns for cash ~~&~~ or Cooking for them if necessary when asked. ~~The Servants when not otherwise~~

A Copy of the order may be sent to the Patt.

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Submitted with dft as per orders

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Subd & dft mov...

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Land Revenue Secretariat. | File No. 280 of 1913.

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	Draft appd: by 1st Member. MR. 27.4.14.
4	To The Dy Commr. Kolar & Dy Commr. of other Dts No. 3142-50 of 6.5.14 Passes orders on the petition observes that better control should be exercised over chattram servants. No. 3151 of 6.5.14 Forwards copy of above to A. Srinivasia, the petitioner

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Narasiah Esq B.A. C.I.E
Dewan of Mysore.

DIARY No. 1 Bangalore

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FILE No. 280-13
REGISTRAL No.

Respected Sir

We humbly beg to bring the following facts for your kind consideration and orders.

On the morning of the 16th instant at 9-30 A.M. our party consisting of 8 men and 12 women with children returned to Malur from a marriage at Thoravanhalli in the Malur Taluk. Desirous of lodging and boarding, if possible, in the Poornaiah's Chatram we went to the Sheristadar of the Taluk, who was in the office. He gave a most discourteous and humiliating reply to us men, women & children fatigued and jaded with journeying, to the effect that boarding was not meant for persons with laced turbans and watches. Pocketing the insult we asked if at least one room and a few cooking vessels could be placed at our disposal for some time. Thereto

the official gave us a slip to the Parapattegar of the Chatram stating that we might be given a room and cooking utensils and be supplied with water.
With this slip we went to the Chatram and waited till 2 P.M. in the afternoon of the 16th instant. The Parapattegar of the Chatram did not turn up. We need not express our difficulties having had to wait at the Chatram till 2 P.M. without the satisfaction of even a few hours lodging. From the way in which we a party of men women and children were treated at the Chatram we beg to infer that the travelling public cannot expect that hospitality and that lodging for which the great Illustrious Poonmiahs' Chatrams are built. A copy of the slip dated 15/12/13 instead of 16-12-13 the date of our arrival is enclosed for kind reference.
In the interests of the travelling Public We humbly beg that you will be kind enough to order a thorough enquiry into the alleged mismanagement and pass orders for the better conduct of Chatrams.

We beg to remain,
respected Sir,
A Sreenivasa

Bangalore
18/12/13

P. T. 6.

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Address

A. Sreenivasiah
c/o J.S. Puttabuddiah
Kasaba Shanbhoque
Channakeshu

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Diary No. of letter replied to

No. 1646 Ens 2

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General and Revenue Secretariat

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Date of issue 18. 12. 1913

Signed by Mr C Venkata Rao

To ~~—~~

My dear Sir,

I am directed by
Lord Pentland to forward herewith ~~the applcn~~ a Petn received from certain travellers ~~who~~ complaining that they ~~had~~ ~~in~~ were put to much inconvenience in the ~~Mad~~ Port Annamchattram at Madura owing to the inhospitable conduct of the Chattram Servants. ~~Sd~~

over.

SUBJECT.

C.C. 18/12

Am to request you to kindly enquire into and report upon the case at your early date -

John Hall

dd 18/12

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18/12/13

List of enclosures.

Copied by

Examined by

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No. 2347
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OFFICE OF THE PRIVATE SECRETARY
TO HIS HIGHNESS THE MAHARAJA OF MYSORE,
Bangalore, 26-12-1913

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Petition as shown below, to His Highness the Maharaja, is transferred to the Secretary to the Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore, General and Revenue Department (Br: VII), Bangalore, for disposal.

No. 5638-1913-4

By Order,

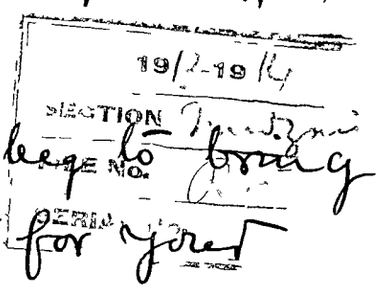
Mirza M. Ismail
I.C.S.,
Private Secretary
to H. H. the Maharaja of Mysore.

GBPM—1,000—18-11-12.

His Highness Colonel Sree
Raja Wadayar Bahadur G.C
Maharaja of Mysore
(camp) Bangalore

Mg 22.12.13

May it please your Highness,



We most humbly beg to bring the following facts for your Highness's gracious consideration and early orders.

On the morning of the 16th instant at 9-30 A.M. our party consisting of 8 males and 12 females returned to Malur from a marriage at Thoravanhalli in the Malur Taluk. Being desirous of a few hours lodging and boarding if possible, in the Poomiahi Chatram, went to the Sheristadar of the Malur Taluk and represented our need the Sheristadar who was in the Taluk office gave a most discourteous and humiliating reply to the effect that boarding in the Chatram was not meant for persons with laced turbans & watches

the insult we asked for
at least, one room and a few cooking
vessels could be placed at our disposal
for some time.
Thereupon the official gave us a slip
to the Parapattegar of the Chatram
stating that we might be given a
room and cooking utensils and be
supplied with water.
With this slip we went to the
Chatram and waited till 2 P.M.
The Parapattegar did not turn up.
Bitterly disappointed we left the
Chatram premises without even a
few hours' lodging.
As the Amildar of the Taluk was away
we had to go to Gubbi yesterday. The slip
given to us by the Sheristadar was dated
15/12/13 instead of 16/12/13 the date on
which we went to him. A copy of the
slip is herewith enclosed for kind reference
During the time we waited at the
Chatram, no travellers came to it.
We beg to suggest the institution of
an enquiry as to whether any travellers
were given boarding that day, i.e. the
16th instant. From the way which
we with little children were treated
at the Chatram whose doors were
mercilessly closed against us, we
beg to infer that the travelling
public cannot expect that hospitality

that hospitality and that lodging for which the Great Poonniahs' Chaltrams are built in your Highness' Province.

On behalf of the poor and needy travellers we humbly pray that your Highness will be graciously pleased to order an enquiry into the alleged mismanagement and pass early orders for the efficient management of the Chaltrams in your Highness' kingdom.

We beg to remain,

Your Highness' loyal and obedient Subjects and Servants.

A Sreenivasaiah

No. 227

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DEPUTY COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
KOLAR DISTRICT.
No. 1639
Dated Kolar, 4th March 1914.

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My dear Sir

With reference to your D.O. letter No.1646/Muz 280-13-2 dated 18th December last, forwarding for enquiry and report a petition received from certain travellers complaining of the conduct of the servants of the Anna Chatram at Malur, I enclose herein in original report No.401 dated 14th ultimo, of the Sub Division Officer, Malur, on the subject, together with the explanations of the concerned officials.

The petition received with the letter under reply is also returned.

Yours sincerely

K.R. Srinivasiengar, Esq, B.A.,
Secretary to the Government of Mysore,
General and Revenue Departments.
Bangalore.

Passing orders as regards the ways in which Chattram servants should behave towards travellers. 13

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Diary No. of letter replied to 1639

Proceedings of the Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore.

GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT.

(Miscl.)

READ—

Petition registered No 1120 dated 18th December 1913 from A Srinivasayya and others of Bangalore regarding the inhospitable conduct of the Malur Chattram servants towards them and praying for an enquiry into the matter.

Correspondence ending with the letter No 227 dated 4th March 1914 from the Deputy Commr Kolar District forwarding the report-

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Date of issue 6th May 1914

Signed by [illegible]

ORDER THEREON.—No.

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called for in the matter together with the explanations ~~from~~ of the ~~local~~ officials concerned

Order thereon 3142-50 Ennore 6/5/1914
Dms 250 13 4
Recorded ~~with the observation~~ that all this complaint would not have been made if the Chattram servants had been courteous and prompt in attending ~~to the requirements of the petitioners~~

2 The Chatram servants should be courteous and considerate to travellers, and when provisions cannot be supplied either for the travellers not belonging to the 'Poor' class or when the allotment is exhausted, they should render the travellers all help by supplying room and vessels and procuring provisions for cash or cooking for them if necessary when asked

3 The Deputy Commr is

requested

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requested to strictly warn the Chatrams servants ~~to pay~~ not to pay bribe from to their complaints ~~better attention to travellers~~ duly in future and to ~~ask~~ direct the Amildar to exercise better supervision over the Chatrams employees ~~servants~~ ~~so that they may conduct themselves properly~~.

May this be printed?

Yes

21.4.14

(Orders) Ans 25/3 For Secy

27/4/1914

To

The Deputy Commr, Kolar District with enclosures

The Deputy Commrs of Other Districts for information

The Munsif Supdt in Mysore

No 315/1 & 6 ...

Copy to the petitioner, A Srinivasaiah of Bangalore

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For Secy

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ans
25/3/14

Copy
Ans 5/5.

GPB—12,000—15-2-13

Proceedings of the Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore, Muzrai, dated 6th May 1914.

Read—

Petition Registered No. 1120, dated the 18th December 1913, from A. Srinivasayya and others of Bangalore, regarding the inhospitable conduct of the Malur chattram servants towards them and praying for an enquiry into the matter.

Correspondence ending with letter No. 227, dated the 4th March 1914, from the Deputy Commissioner, Kolar District, forwarding the report called for in the matter together with the explanations of the officials concerned.

No. 3142-50—Muz. 280-13-4, dated Bangalore, 6th May 1914.

Order thereon.— Recorded.

The chattram servants should be courteous and considerate to travellers; and when provisions cannot be supplied either for the travellers not belonging to the poor class or when the allotment is exhausted, they should render to the travellers all help by supplying room and vessels and procuring provisions for cash or cooking for them, if necessary, when asked.

The Deputy Commissioner is requested to strictly warn the chattram servants not to give room to similar complaints in future and direct the Amildar to exercise better supervision over the chattram employees.

Ramaraya Iyengar

for Offg. Secy. to Govt., Gen. & Rev. Depts.

To—The Deputy Commissioner, Kolar District, with enclosures
The Deputy Commissioners of other Districts for information
The Muzrai Superintendent in Mysore.

Exd—C R.

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GOVERNMENT OF HIS HIGHNESS
THE MAHARAJA OF MYSORE

MUZRAI

PROCEEDINGS

Dated 6th May 1914

No. 3142 50
Muz. 280-13-4

Directing that all possible help should be afforded by the chattram servants to travellers resorting thereto.

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